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SUBJ: OPIC REGISTRATION OF VIETNAM AMERICAN SIMMENTAL ASSOCIATION (VASA)

1. EMBASSY WILL SOON RECEIVE OPIC REGISTRATION NOTICE 498-75-098 ISSUED TO VASA, A U.S. PARTNERSHIP, FOR A DOLS 450,000 INVESTMENT IN A BEEF/DAIRU CATTLE PROJECT. BECAUSE INVESTOR PROVIDED ONLY LOCAL ADDRESS (201/54 VO TANH, GIA DINH, SAIGON, PPT -45263), OPIC REQUESTS EMBASSY ASSISTANCE IN CONTACTING MR. ROBERT J. SAXTON, PRESIDENT, OR OTHER PRINCIPALS IN VIETNAM TO DETERMINE THE FOLLOWING:

A. HOW QUICKLY DOES INVESTOR EXPECT TO PROCEED? FYI.
BECAUSE OPIC BOARD OF DIRECTORS' APPROVAL IS REQUIRED FOR OPIC
INSURANCE OR FINANCE PROJECTS, OPIC ENCOURAGES EARLIEST POSSIBLE
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GOVN APPROVAL. END FYI.

- B. WHAT IS THE EXTENT OF OPIC FINANCING TO BE REQUESTED FOR HIS PROJECT? WHAT CAPITAL STRUCTURE (DEBT AND EQUITY BREAKDOWN) IS CONTEMPLATED BY THE INVESTOR FOR THIS PROJECT?
- C. TO EXPEDITE COMMUNICATIONS, IS THERE A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE INVESTOR IN THE U.S. WITH WHOM OPIC MAY DEAL?
- 2. OPIC WILL APPRECIATE ANY PRELIMINARY COMMENTS BY EMBASSY WITH REGARD TO PROJECT FEASIBILITY AND BENEFITS TO VIETNAM, AND DESIRABILITY OF OPIC PARTICIPATION IN PROJECT. KISSINGER

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